

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
AUSTIN DIVISION**

RAVGEN, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

NATERA, INC. and NSTX, INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:20-cv-000692-ADA

JURY TRIAL

**STIPULATION, JOINT PROPOSAL, AND ORDER
REGARDING POST-TRIAL SCHEDULE**

Plaintiff Ravgen, Inc. (“Ravgen”) and Defendants Natera, Inc. and NSTX, Inc. (“Natera”), subject to the Court’s approval, agree to and jointly propose the following post-trial briefing schedule in the above-captioned litigation:

1. On January 12, 2024, the Court held a bench trial regarding Natera’s inequitable conduct counterclaim and defense. At the conclusion of the bench trial, the Court instructed the parties to stipulate to dates for filing the Rule 52 proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law. (Trial Tr. at 1614:23–1615:1.)

2. On February 9, 2024, the Court granted the parties an additional five-page memorandum each to clarify their positions taken at the bench trial with regards to Natera’s inequitable conduct counterclaim and defense.

3. The parties further expect that one or both parties will file renewed JMOL motions and/or motions for a new trial under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 50(b) and/or 59 in relation to the jury trial issues.


4. The following schedule for post-trial submissions shall apply:

Deadline	Due Date	Page Limit Per Side
Natera's proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law (and supporting memorandum) for the bench trial	February 22, 2024	Memorandum limited to 5 pages
Any renewed JMOL motions and motions for new trial for the jury trial	February 22, 2024	Cumulative limit of 25 pages
Ravgen's proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law (and supporting memorandum) for the bench trial	March 14, 2024	Memorandum limited to 5 pages
Opposition briefs to any renewed JMOL motions and motions for new trial	March 14, 2024	Cumulative limit of 25 pages
Reply briefs regarding any renewed JMOL motions and motions for new trial	March 28, 2024	Cumulative limit of 10 pages

5. Because the Court has not yet ruled on Natera's inequitable conduct counterclaim/defense, any bill of costs under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 54 and Local Rule CV-54 that is normally due 14 days after entry of judgment on the jury verdict under Local Rule CV-54.a.1 shall be due, instead, 14 days after entry of an order disposing of the bench trial issues.

6. For clarity and avoidance of doubt, this stipulation shall not apply to post-trial motions other than on Natera's inequitable conduct counterclaim/defense, renewed JMOL, new trial motions, and any bill of costs under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 54 and Local Rule CV-54; any other post-trial motions shall be briefed in accordance with the default schedule in the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the Local Rules for the Western District of Texas, and/or the Court's Standing Orders, unless the parties agree or the Court orders otherwise.

SIGNED this 12th day of February, 2024.


 ALAN D ALBRIGHT
 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE